Is there such a thing as cooling liter-ature? We think there is, only it can be more properly called the literature of coolness. Horace, with his Banduof cool water Spenser has probably ex-celled every other poet. Goethe, who used to bathe in the Ilm by moonlight, told Eckermann that in his ballad of "The Fisherman" he had employed the mermaid myth with no other aim than to express the charm of water in summer. The fisherman sat fishing, "and, lo, a dripping mermaid fair sprang from the troubled main." The memaid protested against the cruelty of angling. If, she said, he only knew "how gladly dart the fish across the sea!" She then invited him to dart across the sea on his own account, and he consented to the watery bliss.
One of the coolest stanzas in the lan-

guage is Matthew Arnold's:

The silent courts, where night and day Into their stone carved basins cold The splashing key fountains play— The humid corridors behold!

But to know how the literary mind can evoke ideas of coolness when the literary body craves for it one need only recall Flaubert's persecution of poor Maxime Ducamp in the desert of Kosseir, near the Red sea. The camel carrying their whole supply of water had fallen and burst all the skins.
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What happened is told by Ducamp, We quote Mr. Tarver's translation:
"After suffering thirst for thirty-six hours, while we were passing through a defle, a furnace formed of granite rocks, of a rose color, covered with inscriptions, Flaubert said to me, 'Do you remember the lemon ices that one eats at Tortoni's? I made a sign in eats at Tortoni's?' I made a sign in the affirmative. He resumed: 'Lemon ice is a superior article. Admit that you would not be annoyed at kaving swallowed a lemon ice.' Curtly enough I replied, 'Yes.' After an interval of five minutes: 'Ah, the lemon ices! All around the glass there is a cloud which is like a white jelly.' I said, 'Suppose we change the conversation?' He re-plied: 'That would be better, but lemon ice is worthy of being celebrated. One fills the spoon; it makes a little mound; one softly squeezes it between the tongue and the palate; it melts slowly, coolly, deliciously; it bathes the uvula, glides over the tonsils, descends into the gullet, which is only too happy, and it falls into the stomach, which bursts with laughing, so delighted is it. Between you and me there is a scarcity of lemon ices in the desert of Kos-

The maddened Ducamp would not speak again for hours. When at last they drank Flaubert took him in his arms and said: "I thank you for not having blown out my brains with your gun. In your place I should not have resisted."—London Globe.

The Hearts of the Hapsburgs. In the imperial burial vault in the

Church of the Capuchins in Vienna is a row of more than 150 crystal vases mounted in gold and topped by a crown. Each of these vases contains the heart of a dead Hapsburg, a member of the imperial family. In the thirteenth century the Duke Francis died in Switzerland and directed that his heart should be removed and sent to Vienna. Ever since this custom has been observed in the Hapsburg family. On the death of a member the heart is removed and preserved in a crystal vase. In the vault there are now 152 such vases and 113 imperial coffins. The surplus of thirty-nine vases contain the hearts of Hapsburgs whose bodies are buried elsewhere. The sole exception to this Hapsburg custom was that of the late Archduke Ludwig, whose will forbade the removal of his

Unappeased.

Little Corina had in her extreme youth been passionately fond of dolls, There came a day, a "strange, sad day," when sawdust and false hair no day, when sawdust and taise hair no century it saved a vessel of the queen's a real baby. Her parents protested a real baby. Her parents protested Her parents protested that the realization of her demand would involve them in financial ruin.

"I don't believe real bables are so expensive as you think they are.' claimed Corina. "I see every day just lots and lots of ever so poor people with them."

Indian Corn.

Maize, or Indian corn, is a native of tropical America, from where the Spanjards first brought it to Europe. However, it must have been known long before in Asia, for in Pharaoh's dream he saw seven ears of corn growing on one stalk (Genesis xil, 5). By the aborigines it was gradually carried north and by the selection of the earliest ripe ears saved for seed acclimatized to our harder New England conditions. It ripens now as far north as Canada.

Napoleon's Hands. Napoleon had beautiful hands and was very proud of them, often contemplating them with a self satisfied air. He never, save when military etiquette required, wore gloves, being aware of the bad impression that would be made on rough soldiers by a pair of small, delicate white hands.

Love is always building up. It puts some line of beauty on every life it touches. It makes life seem more worth while to every one into whose eyes it looks. Its words are benedic-Its every bre th is full of in-

Those to whom everybody a was the Brow of opinion my to scoul place have an undershing title where reason is left free to the first.—Swift

IN COLONIAL DAYS.

Introducing Flaubert's Cruel Joke The First Iron Mines and Flour Mills

In 1619 the London company, the proprietors of the colony of Virginia, sent over a Mr. King and 150 skilled ironworkers to erect furnaces on Fallof cooless. Horace, with his bands ing creek. These men came chiefly father of it, though in the description of cool water Spenser has probably exvillage that grew up about their iron works Warwick.

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Mr. King soon dropped out of the enterprise, and a Captain Bluett superintended the erection of the works. But his career was a short one, after which John Berkeley, son of Sir John Berkeley, a nobleman of much distinction, succeeded to the superintendency of the establishment and conducted it pair, writing a day. Wareh conducted it ably until one day—March 22, 1622—the Indians, under Opitchapan, a brother of Powhatan, surprised the village and murdered Berkeley and 150 men and women. In 1700 mills were built upon the

ruins of the iron furnace. In those mills was ground the first flour exported from America, much of it going to South America. From that time on Warwick grow rapidly until it became an important manufacturing and shipping village, as it was at the head or

Shortly before the outbreak of the Revolutionary war Colonel Archibald Cary acquired possession of the vast estate known as Ampthill, that lay on the James river and inland along Falling creek for a distance. The es-

try in the south.

Tarieton, the British general, sailed up the James river and burned War-wick and Colonel Cary's mills on Fall-

ing creek.
The old Ampthill house occupied by Colonel Cary at the time is stall stand-ing, and the present owners are de-scendants of the Cary family.—Scientific American.

#### A LOST TREASURE.

The Funny Old Circus Clown of the Days That Are Gone.

I feel kind of sorry for the poor little young ones that grow up and never know what a clown is like. Oh, yes, they have them today after a fashion. They stub their toes and fall down the same as ever, but there is a whole mob of them, and you can't take the interest in them that you could in the one, the only, the inimitable clown there used to be, a character of such importance that

he got his name on the bills.

The ringmaster was a kind of stuck up fellow, very important in his own estimation, but he didn't have a spark of humor—not a spark. And he'd be swelling around there, all so grand, and the clown, just to take him down a peg or two, would ask him a conunguess one? Never. Not a one. And when the clown would tell him what the answer was he'd be so vexed at himself that he'd try to take it out on the poor clown and cut him with his

long whip, Yes, sir; there are heads of families today, I'll bet you, that have grown up without ever having heard a clown sing a comic song and ask the audience to join in the chorus. And if you say to such people, "Here we are again, Mr. Merryman," or "Bring on another horse," or "What will the little lady have now? The banners, my lord?" they look at you so funny. They don't know what you mean, and they don't know whether to get huffy or not.

Well, I suppose it had to be that the funny old clown, with all his songs and quips and conundrums and comical remarks, should disappear. Perhaps he didn't pay.—Eugene Wood in Mc-

A Stone With a History.

the Japanese coast, but was refloated in what was thought to be an undamaged condition. It proceeded to Ports-mouth and was docked, when it was found that the stone had imbedded itself firmly in the planks of the ship's bottom. The stone prevented leakage, and had it dropped from its position during the homeward run there is little doubt that the Pique would have been

Something Like Benjamin,

In a Philadelphia kindergarten school a teacher was telling the little children all she knew about a clock. this," she said, "is the pendulum-this thing that swings back and forth. Did any of you ever hear the word pendulum before?"

A child put up her hand. "Yes, teacher," she said. "Pendulum Franklin. I've heard it often."

Providential. Teacher-Now, I have explained what "providential" means, and I want some of you to give me an illust the

Bright Boy-Please, 1 , 'Very well. What is "The holes in a porous ster."
"Hum! Why?" "When yeh pull th' as boles don't hurt."

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J. W. Davenport, Wingo, Ky., wr. June 14th, 1902: "I want to tell yo believe Ballard's Snow Liniment sa my life. I was under the treatmen two doctors, and they told me on my lungs was entirely gone, and other badly affected. I also had a le on my side. I don't think that I co have lived over two months longer was induced by a friend to try lard's Snow Liniment. The first

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To pay depts due and past due against said state. This the 30th day of September, 1865.

Mrs. D.A. X PRITETTE, mark

Administratrix.

TO ALL WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

Notice is hereby given that on the 23rd day of October, 1905, we will apply to the Hon. J. B. Cochran, County Judge of DeSoto county, Florida, at his office in the Court House at Arcadia, Florida, for an order to sell at private sale the following described land, towit:

Lot 10 of Block 25, in the town of Arcadia, Florida, as per recorded plat, and Lot 90 f Block 25, town of Arcadia, Florida, as per recorded plat, said Lot 10 being the property of Russel S. King and Lot 9, of said block, being the property of John J. King.

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Notice.

All persons are hereby warned not to carry any gun, bullseye lantern or alligator hook with them in our pasture during close season for game. All parties violating the above will be prosecuted for trespassing.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
LAND OFFICE AT GAINESVILLE, PLA.,
September 18, 1966.

Notice is hereby given that the following neared settler has flied notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before Clerk (ircuit Court at Areadia, Fla., on October 28, 1905, viz:
Susan A. Robbins of Venus, Fla., Hds. 28386 and 36109, for the sly of sely, Sec. 21 and nly of nely, Sec. 28, Tp. 39 s, Range 29 e.

He mades the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz:
Nathan S. Platt, of Venus, Fla.; Bascom S. Johnson, of Venus, Fla.; William R. Blount, of Arcadia, Fla.; William R. Blount, of Arcadia, Fla.; W. G. ROBINSON, Register.

W. G. ROBINSON, Register.

Application for Tax Deed.

Notice is hereby given that John Daugh rty, purchaser of Tax Certificate No. 109, dat d the 7th day of July, A. D. 1992, has filed saic ertificate in my office, and has made applica ion for tax deed to issue in accordance with ax. Said certificate embraces the following searthed property situated in De Soto County

law. Said certificate embraces inte following described property situated in De Soto County, Florida, towit:
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The said land being assessed at the date of the issuance of such certificate in the name of F. Q. Brown, Trustee, Unless said certificate shall be redeemed according to law, tax deed will issue thereon on the 29th day of October, A. D. 1905.
Witness my official signature and seal this the 18th day of September, A. D. 1905.
[SEAL.]
Clerk Circuit Court De Soto County, Florida By C. L. Carlton, D. C.

Notice of Final Settlement.

Notice of Final Sections.

Notice is hareby given that six months after date I will file with the County Judge of DeSoto County, Florida, at his office in Arcadia, my accounts and vouchers for my final settlement and discharge as executrix of the estate of Clark D. Knapp, deceased. This June 12th 1905, ELEANOR A. KNAPP, Executrix.

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he city of Areadia, my accounts and wontfor final settlement and discharge as guard n of James Daugherty, deceased.

MARY J SCARBOROUGH.

Guardian
This the lith day of September, 1905. 15-

Notice.

the matter of the estate of John G. Slaven, deceased:

"he creditors, distributees and all persons involains or demands against the estate found. Slaven, deceased, are hereby companded and calcium to me as administrator of the sate of the said John G. Slaven, deceased in hir the time required by law, or the satil be barred.

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Eo. M. EARNEST.
Deing bishness as the Early Prygoods Co., Bankrupt.

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Tampa, Florida, October 12, A. D. 1985.

WILLIAM HINTER,
Referee in Bankruptey.

Notice.

To the Honorable Board of Public Instruction of DeSoto County; or pessio county:
We, your petitioners, respectfully ask 'hat
you call an election in School Sub-District,
No. I, to determine whether or not the boundary lines of said district shall be changed to

northwest corner of Section 18 7 South, Range 25 East, and rur to southeast corner Section 17 Range 26, thence south to north of Section 1, Township 39, Range cast to Lake Okechobee, thence they along the borders of said lake

GIANTS ON WHEELS.

Odd Custom That Flourishes In Some

Among the most interesting ceremonies in Europe are the giants' processions, as they are termed, which are held annually in various cities. They are especially popular in the Flemish provinces of France and Belgium, where every community of importance has some personage of huge propor-tions intended to represent a hero or other notable of the past. Although of enormous size, the giants are carried about the streets with little difficulty owing to the material of which they are composed. The skeleton is usually formed of light wood, with possibly one or two iron rods extending from the head to the feet to give strength to the structure. Over the skeleton is fastened a stiff fabric, such as canvas, and the preper proportions are obtained by padding with cotton, hay or some

other suftable material.

Upon this groundwork is placed the papier mache which usually forms the exterior. This substance is so light and is applied with such skill that the resemblance to the human features and figure is really remarkable. Oc casionally the face is formed by a mask showing the flesh tints, but the majority of the giants may be termed enor mous dolls, since their mode of cor struction is so similar to that of this toy and so much of the same material enters into their composition. At least once a year the giants are placed upon vehicles and drawn about the streets in a procession, in which regular and volunteer soldiers take part, their escorts sometimes numbering 1,000 people.

One well known group of giants is known as the Gayon family, the members of which are among the largest in Europe. The father of the family is to less than twenty feet in height, from the top of the plumes in his helmet to his feet, while his spear is over twenty feet in length and the shield larger in circumference than the wheel of an ordinary wagon. Mme. Gayon is eight-een feet in height. They are supposed to have three children, the largest of whom is eleven feet in height, the next is ten feet and the "baby" taller than an ordinary man.

POINTED PARAGRAPHS.

When you are in a hurry for a thing how slow it travels.

An excuse never accomplishes all it is expected to accomplish.

If you want people to like you don't know anything "on" them. Ever notice this? If one thing goes for Application for Leave to Sell right with you something else goes Wrong.

> Every one owes something to himself except the father. He owes it all to his When you see two people who dislike

you whispering together, doesn't it give you a funny feeling? About the easiest thing in the world that we know anything about is to find

the bright side for somebody else. They speak of it as "life's fitful fe ver," but most of us have such hair raising experiences that it is more like chills.-Atchison Globe,

A Lost Book.

Among the Somalis of Africa there is

a legend that when God first made them, a man and a woman, he v rote down in a book the law they were to They were promised that long is the carefully preserved this book bey should continue great and po of but if they lost it their greatwe deer . rt from them. One day the book was carelessly left lying outoured to brom that fatal day their " on or dies of disease or ra are rengiousl ex-

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